

Capital Projects and Roadway Structures Division

Council Transportation Committee Tuesday, September 27, 2011





Presentation Overview

- Division Mission
- Organization
- Core Business Overview
- Performance Measures



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East Marginal Way



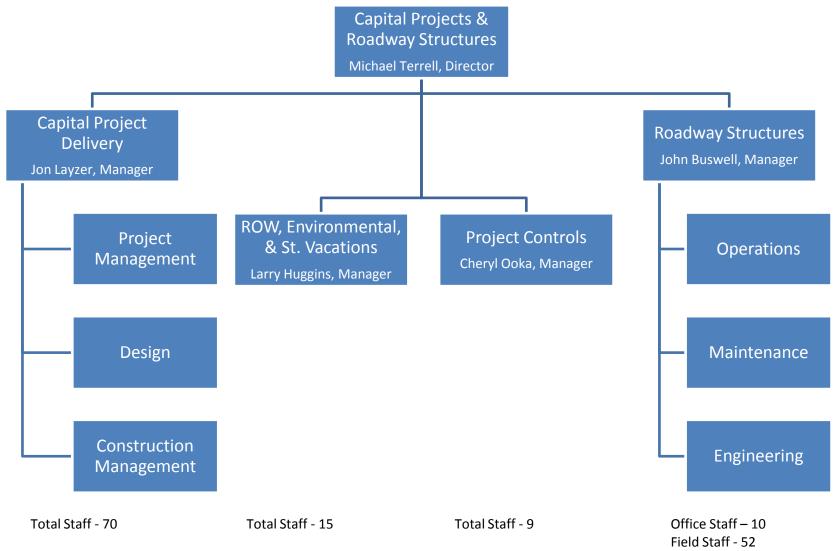
15th Ave

Division Mission

- Design, construct, maintain & operate safe and reliable transportation facilities
 - Capital Projects Developing capital projects that are cost effective and meet the needs of Seattle's citizens
 - Roadway Structures Preserve existing infrastructure, manage capital improvements, operate and maintain bridges, retaining walls, stairways and areaways
 - Get the most from our transportation investment dollars

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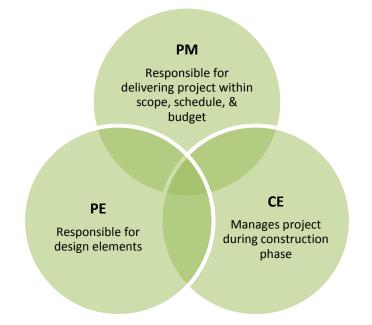




Capital Project Delivery

- Ownership of CIP projects from initiation through construction
- Focus on projects with public works contracts
- SDOT asset owners as "clients"
- Project Management Plans
- Project Delivery Manual/PD TOMs
- Interdepartmental coordination

The Project Triad – PM, PE, and CE
Triad works together in a matrix
relationship, sharing overall
responsibility for the success of the
project.





Constituent Feedback



From: Patti Loesche [mailto:loes@uw.edu] **Sent**: Friday, September 16, 2011 7:36 PM

To: DOT_15thAveNE

Subject: Re: 15th Avenue NE Reconstruction Final Monthly Project Update - September

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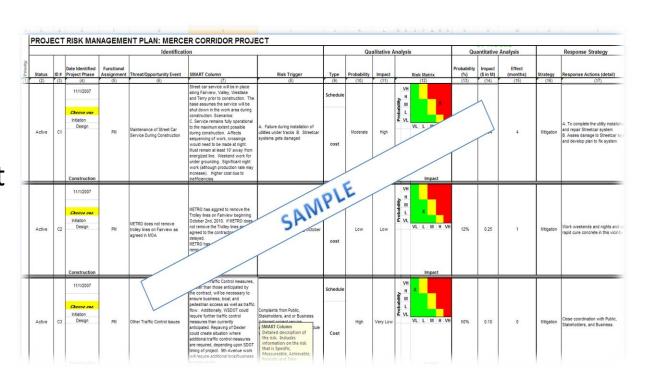
THANK YOU. As much as I have come to dread construction in the U District over the years, I can't say enough good things about how you conducted this huge and complicated project. Communication was excellent. Work areas were well defined and as considerate as possible to the users in the area. The workers I passed by were unfailingly pleasant. Work got done fast. You did what you said you would do and when you said you would do it. If only all government projects were like this.

Patti Loesche Psychology, UW



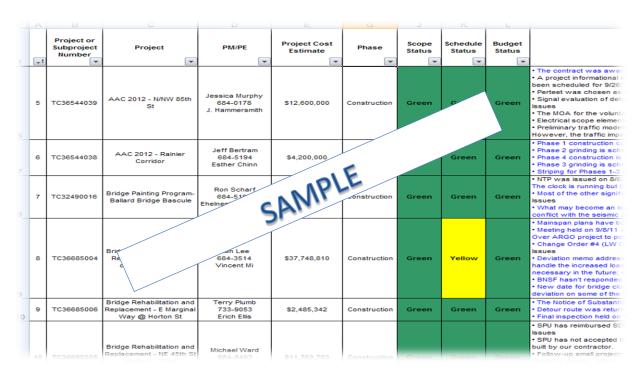
Project Management Plans

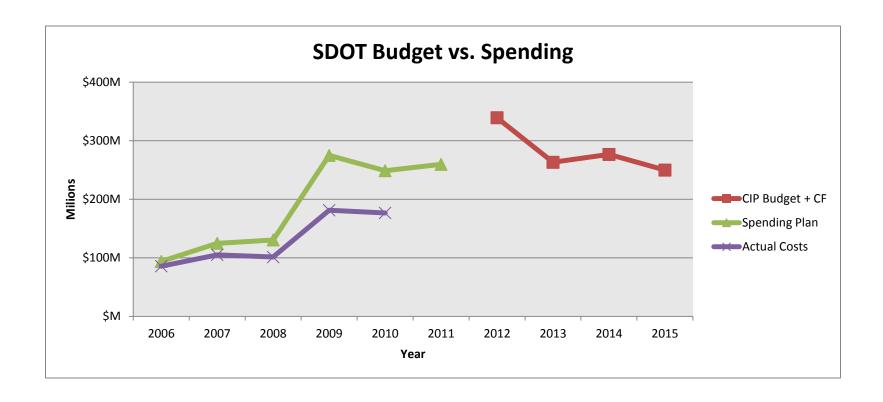
- Scope, Schedule & Budget
- Environmental
- Right-of-Way
- Risk management
- Public Involvement



Project Control

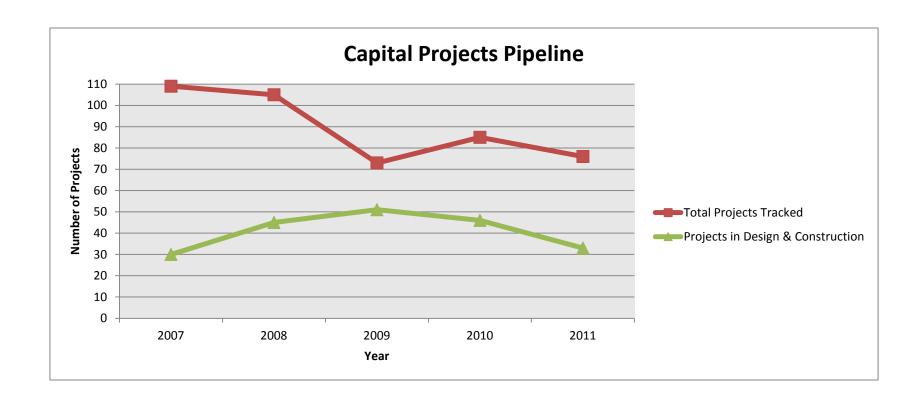
- Monthly tracking and reporting
- "Red Yellow Green" review
- Change Control Board
- Quarterly Reviews







Total Projects in the Pipeline





Large Capital Projects

Spokane Street Viaduct – 4th Avenue Ramp and Widening





Mercer Corridor







Arterial Asphalt & Concrete Program



4th Ave Reconstruction as seen from the Yesler Overpass
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4th Ave Reconstruction as seen from the Yesler Overpass Improvement of Ath Ave and 4th Ave

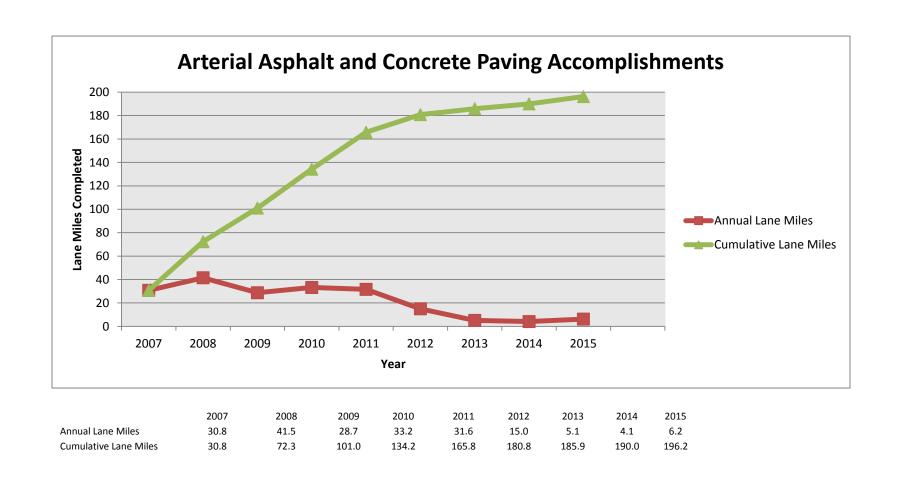


Arterial Asphalt & Concrete Plan





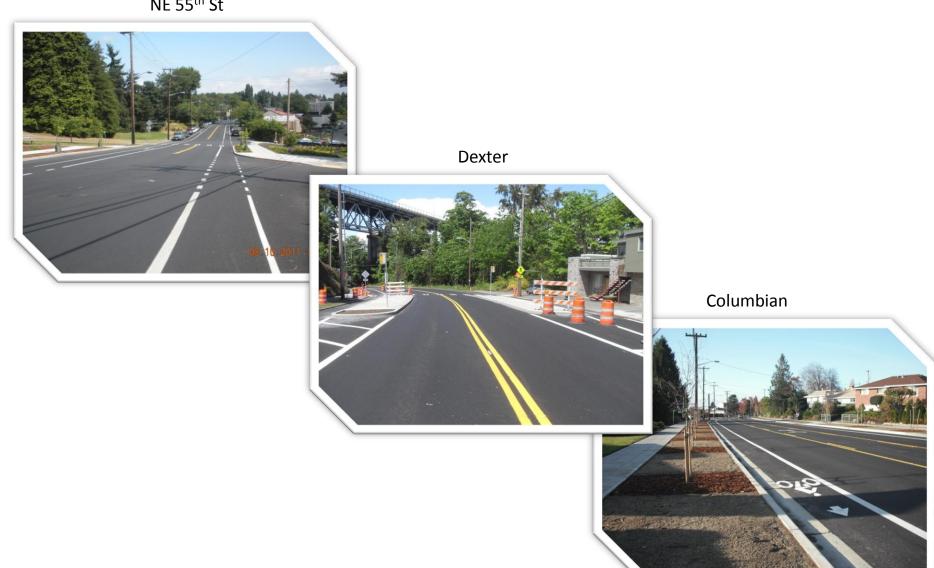
Arterial Asphalt & Concrete Accomplishments





Complete Streets

NE 55th St





Bridge Rehabilitation and Replacement

East Duwamish Waterway

• BTG Goal: 3 – 5 bridges



NE 45th



Current Plan: 6+ bridges:

- East Duwamish Waterway
- Jose Rizal
- NE 45th St Viaduct
- 15th Ave NE
- East Marginal @ Horton
- Airport Way over Argo



Bridge Seismic Retrofit

BTG Goal: 5 bridges



Albro over Airport Way

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- Current Plan: 7 bridges:
 - Albro over Airport Way
 - Fauntleroy Expressway
 - King Street Station Area Bridges (2nd Ave Extension, S Jackson St, 4th Ave S, and Airport Way S)
 - Ballard



Transit Corridor Projects

- Metro RapidRide Corridors
- City priority corridor treatments



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RAPIDRIDE





Trail Projects

- Duwamish Trail
- Chief Sealth Trail
- Ship Canal Trail
- Mountains to Sound Trail
- West Thomas Overpass
- Burke Gilman Trail



Mountains to Sound Trail



Chief Sealth Trail



Ship Canal Trail



Other Programs and Projects

- Greenwood and Linden Avenue reconstruction
- Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS)
- Hazard Mitigation Landslides and Areaways
- Bridge Painting/Preservation



Linden Ave



ITS - First Ave



Bridge Painting - Ballard Approaches



Capital Projects Department-wide Services

- City standard plans and specifications
- Consultant contracting
- Environmental review and permitting
- Environmental Management System (GreenDOT)
- Right-of-way acquisition, dedications
- Street Vacations









Assets Managed \$3.7 Billion

95 Bridges - \$2,222,525,400





587 Retaining Walls -\$653,330,400 AW Seawall - \$600,000,000

507 Stairway - \$62,452,250





236 Areaways - \$167,749,500



Structures Engineering

- Structure Inspection
- Maintenance Engineering Design
- Structure Inventory Records
 System
- Structure Capital Projects
 Oversight
- Emergency Response
- Plan Review



Ultrasonic Inspection



Fauntleroy Express Way

Structures Maintenance

Timber & Concrete

 Perform concrete and timber repairs for bridges, seawalls, retaining walls, stairways, areaway and other various infrastructure.

Mechanics

 Repairs involve a wide range of skills including welding, hydraulics, heat straightening and machinery maintenance.

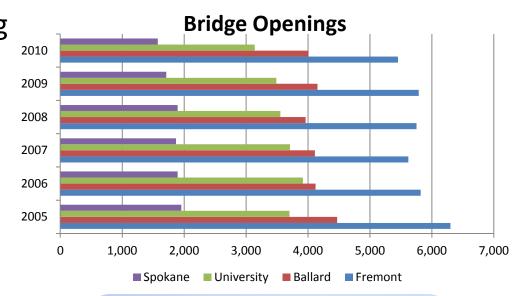
Electricians

 Perform complex maintenance, troubleshooting and repair on electrical control systems



Bridge Operations

- Responsible for the opening of 3 bascule bridges and 1 swing bridge on a 24/7 basis
 - Ballard Bridge
 - Fremont Bridge
 - University Bridge
 - Spokane St Swing Bridge
- 14,174 openings in 2010







- Post Earthquake Bridge Inspection
- Accident Damage to Structures
- Movable Bridges
- Structural Expertise to other agencies

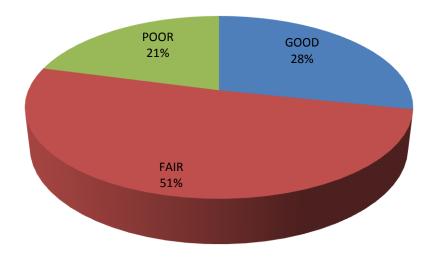


Magnolia Slide



Year	Sufficiency Rating
2006	69.63
2007	67.24
2008	66.65
2009	68.53
2010	66.69

Bridge Condition



An aging inventory results in a declining sufficiency rating

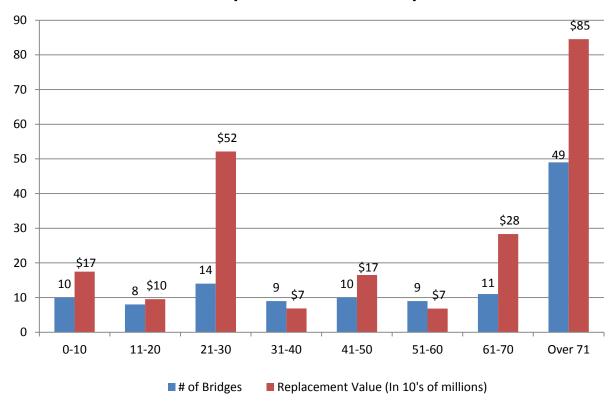
FHWA Condition Categories

- 42 bridges are functionally obsolete
- 9 bridges are structurally deficient



Future Replacement Liability

Bridge by Age & Replacement Value (in 10's of millions)



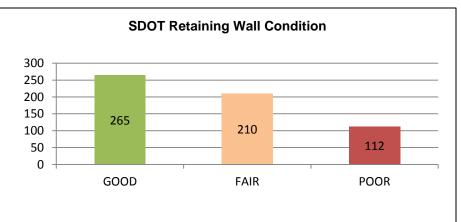
60 bridges over 60 years old with a replacement value over \$1.1 B

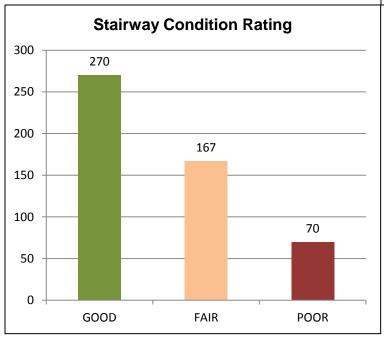


Retaining Walls & Stairways

Retaining Wall inspection cycle is 5 years

2011 maintenance budget is \$214K





Stairway inspection cycle is 7 years

2011 maintenance budgets totals \$1M



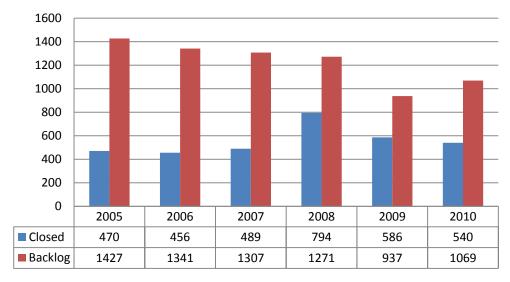
Work Management System

- Inspection notes defects in assets, repair work orders are generated
- Maintenance work plan developed based on highest priority work orders for routine maintenance
- Annual work plans are developed for larger maintenance projects
 - Safety
 - Condition
 - Regional Equity
 - Consistent with Master Plans

Work Order Backlog

- Most years the number of defects noted through inspection exceed the budget for maintenance and repair
- Currently there are more than 1,000 work orders in the backlog, with a total value of over \$6M

Work Order Backlog by Year





Questions?



NE 45th St